(d) if so, whether Government proposes to allot unoccupied DDA flats to homeless journalists under the journalists' quota; and

(e) if so, by when and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY): (a) to (e) The Delhi Development Authority (DDA) has informed that the reservation quota of 2% in the allotment of DDA flats for the accredited journalists, which was existing prior to 1979, was abolished on the recommendations of the Baveja Committee constituted by the Government to go into the working of DDA. The accredited journalists can, however, apply for allotment of DDA flats in the various housing schemes, launched by DDA from time to time.

Penalty on different telecom companies

†*369. SHRI PYARELAL KHANDELWAL: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that penalty of almost more than rupees eight hundred crore has been imposed on different telecom companies in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the names of companies alongwith amount of penalty imposed on them and the reasons imposing such penalty;

(d) the amount of penalty recovered by Government from the said companies, so far;

(e) the details of the action being taken by Government in this regard;

(f) the action taken so far by Government against the guilty companies who have not paid penalty; and

(g) by when the Government would recover the said amount?

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI A. RAJA): (a) to (g) Since the year 2000-01, a penalty of Rupees 5,90,65,53,234/- have been imposed on different telecom companies and Rupees 4,40,89,88,026/- had been recovered.

Rs. 1,36,75,40,375/- is under adjudication in Telecom Dispute Settlement & Appellate Tribunal and Supreme Court. The recovery of penalty will depend on the outcome of the Court decision. Further, Rs. 12,71,94,154/- is under dispute by the service provider and is under examination. For balance amount of Rs. 28,30,679/-, it has been decided to file recovery suit.

35 licences of Internet Service Providers have also been terminated.

The names of companies alongwith the amount of penalty imposed on them and the reasons for imposing such penalty along the status of recovery is enclosed as Statement I, II, III and IV.

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† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

Statement-I

Penalty imposed on shortage of Licensee Fee for the Financial Year 2001-02 *to* 2005-06

Sl. No.	Name of Service Provider	Service Area	Penalty Imposed	Amount Recovered	Amount due	Remarks
	CMTS		Penalty + Interest			
1	BPL Mobile Cellular Ltd.	Kerala	15,963,545	15,963,545		
2	Idea Mobile Comm Ltd. (formerly escotel)	UP (West)	41,864,471	41,864,471		
3	Idea Mobile Comm Ltd. (formerly escotel)	Haryana	16,869,141	16,869,141		Shortage of license fee paid on self assessment
4	Idea Mobile Comm Ltd. (formerly escotel)	Kerala	23,979,470	23,979,470		to licence fee dues
5	Idea Cellular Ltd.	Gujarat	37,015,230	37,015,230		as per audited AGR
6	Idea Cellular Ltd.	Maharashtra	92,872,333	92,872,333		stement ment by
7	BPL Mobile Communication Ltd.	Mumbai	373,891,537	373,891,537		more than 10% The matter is sub-judice
8	Escorts Telecom Ltd.	H.P.	408	408		
9	Escorts Telecom Ltd.	Rajasthan	14,952	14,952		
10	Escorts Telecom Ltd.	UP (East)	20,979	20,979		Shortage of
11	Escorts Telecom Ltd.	Punjab	70,355	70,355		license fee paid
12	Hexacom Ltd.	Rajasthan	24,145,856	24,145,856		on self assess-
13	Aircel Digilink India Ltd.	Rajasthan	3,206,187	3,206,187		ment to licence fee dues as per
14	Aircel Digilink India Ltd.	UP (East)	13,664,317	13,664,317		audited AGR statement by
15	Aircel Digilink India Ltd.	Rajasthan	5,413,996	5,413,996		more than 10%
16	Aircel Digilink India Ltd.	Haryana	3,113,572	3,113,572		
17	Bharti Airtel Ltd.	H.P.	8,192,049	8,192,049		
18	Escorts Telecom Ltd.	UP (East)	153,550	153,550		
19	Hutchison Essar Cellular Ltd. (now Vodafone Essar Cellular Ltd.)	Maharashtra	44,742,731	44,742,731		
20	Hutchison Essar Cellular Ltd. (now Vodafone Essar Cellular Ltd.)	T.N.	22,560,217	22,560,217		
21	Idea Mobile Comm Ltd.	Haryana	7,244,336	7,244,336		
	Total CMTS:		734,999,232	361,107,695	373,891,537	
	Basic/UASL					
1	Tata Teleservices Ltd.	A.P.	105,520,994	105,520,994		Shortage of
2	Tata Teleservices Ltd.	Karnataka	27,892,701	27,892,701		license fee paid
3	Tata Teleservices Ltd.	Delhi	40,835,020	40,835,020		on self
4	Tata Teleservices Ltd.	T.N.	32,156,804	32,156,804		assessment to
5	Tata Teleservices Ltd.	Gujarat	37,823,917	37,823,917		license fee dues
6	Tata Teleservices Ltd.	UP (East)	476,314	476,314		as per audited

Sl. No.	Name of Service Provider	Service Area	Penalty Imposed	Amount Recovered	Amount due	Remarks
7	Tata Teleservices Ltd.	UP (West)	523,074	523,074		AGR statement
8	Reliance Communications Ltd.	Kolkata	36,764,401	36,764,401		by more than 10%
9	Bharti Airtel Ltd.	Bihar	2,476,135	2,476,135		
10	Bharti Airtel Ltd.	Orissa	1,916,585	1,916,585		
11	Bharti Airtel Ltd.	Delhi	20,552,414	20,552,414		
12	Bharti Airtel Ltd.	Karnataka	22,946,452	22,946,452		
13	Bharti Airtel Ltd.	T.N.	28,889,941	28,889,941		
14	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	Assam	25,605,198	25,605,198		
15	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	Assam	21,358,670	21,358,670		
16	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	Bihar	25,605,198	25,605,198		
17	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	H.P.	25,605,198	25,605,198		
18	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	J & K	25,605,198	25,605,198		
19	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	J & K	2,168,189	2,168,189		
20	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	N.E.	25,605,198	25,605,198		
21	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	N.E.	23,346,813	23,346,813		
22	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	Orissa	25,605,198	25,605,198		
23	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	Orissa	3,407,338	3,407,338		
24	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	West Bengal	34,140,264	34,140,264		
25	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	West Bengal	2,221,138	2,221,138		
26	Shyam Telelink Ltd.	Rajasthan	181,929,145	181,929,145		
	Total Basic/UASL		780,977,497	780,977,497		
	ILD					
1	Data Access India Ltd.	All India	139,118,338		139,118,338	
2	VSNL	All India	1,046,053,856	1,046,053,856		
3	VSNL	All India	321,460,603	321,460,603		-do-
	Total ILD		1,506,632,797	1,506,632,797	139,118,338	
	NLD					
1	VSNL	All India	27,563,005	27,563,005		-do-
	Total NLD		27,563,005	27,563,005		
	PMRTS					
1	Hofintel Ltd.	Chennai	19,959	19,959		
2	Hofintel Ltd.	Hyderabad	92,335	92,335		
3	Quickcall	Bangalore	252,620	252,620		
4	Quickcall	Chennai	155,775	155,775		
5	Hofintel Ltd.	Chennai	3,114	3,114		-do-
	Total PMRTS		523,803	523,803		
	Commercial VSAT					
1	Comsat Max	All India	8,452,251	8,452,251		-do-
2	Comsat Max	All India	41,574,325	41,574,325		-do-
3	RPG Sattelite Ltd.	All India	2,330,974	2,330,974		-do-
4	HECL (now named as HCIL)	All India	56,519,550		56,519,550	matter subjudice
5	HECL (now named as HCIL)	All India	130,413,111		130,413,111	matter subjudice
6	HECL (now named as HCIL)	All India	88,785,157		88,785,157	matter subjudice
7	HECL (now named as HCIL)	All India	32,876,919		32,876,919	matter subjudice
8	HECL (now named as HCIL	All India	8,947,230		8,947,230	matter subjudice
	Total Commercial VSAT		369,899,517	52,357,550	317,541,967	
	GRAND TOTAL:		**3,420,595,851**	**2,590,044,009**	**830,551,842**	

Statement-II

Penalty imposed on companies with regard to shortage of Spectrum Charges Fee

Sl. No.	Name of Service Provider	Service Area	Penalty Imposed	Amount Recovered	Amount due	Remark
1	Bharti Airtel Ltd.	Chennai	59638940	Nil	59638940 (under dispute)	As per Clause 20.8 of the UASL agreement,
2.	Bharti Airtel Ltd.	Madhya Pradesh	67555214	Nil	67555214 (under dispute)	in case the total amount paid as quarterly spectrum
3.	Reliance Telecom Ltd.	North East	654694	654694	Nil	charges for four quarters of the
4.	Reliance Telecom Ltd.	Orissa	3625540	3625540	Nil	financial year falls
5.	Reliance Telecom Ltd.	MP	22841725	22841725	Nil	short by more than
6.	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	Assam	7292748	7292748	Nil	10% of the payable
7.	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	J & K	605586	605586	Nil	spectrum charges,
8.	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	NE	8013316	8013316	Nil	it attracts a penalty
9.	Dishnet Wireless Ltd.	West Bengal	413625	413625	Nil	@ 150% (50% from the Financial
10.	M/s Spice Communication Pvt. Ltd.	Karnataka	87144763	87144763	Nil	Year 2005-06)
11.	M/s Spice Communication Pvt. Ltd.	Punjab	98260693	98260693	Nil	
CDMA Spectrum Users						
12.	M/s Tata Tele Services Ltd.	AP	45001251	45001251	Nil	Matter subjudice
13.	M/s Tata Tele Services Ltd.	HP	9944885	9944885	Nil	
14.	M/s Tata Tele Services Ltd.	MP	26338857	26338857	Nil	
VSAT Service Providers						
15.	M/s Gujarat Narmada Valley Comm. Ltd.	—	796193	796193	Nil	
16.	M/s Tatanet Services Ltd.	—	437817	437817	Nil	As per Clause 1.8 of amended
17.	M/s TVC India Pvt. Ltd.	—	2830679	Nil	2830679	commercial VSAT license agreement
18.	M/s Essel Shyam Comm. Ltd.	—	3673359	Nil	3673359 (matter subjudice)	along with para 1.5 of WPC order No. R-
19.	M/s Huges Escorts Comm. Ltd.	—	33315174	Nil	33315174 (matter subjudice)	11014/9/2001-LR dated 16.04.03 penalty is recoverable from Licensee in case

Sl. No.	Name of Service Provider	Service Area	Penalty Imposed	Amount Recovered	Amount due	Remark
						the total amount paid as quarterly spectrum charges for four quarters of the financial year falls short by more than 10% of the payable spectrum charges, it attracts a penalty @ 150% (50% from the Financial Year 2005-06)
	TOTAL:		47,83,85,059	31,13,71,693	16,70,13,366	

Statement-III

Penalty imposed on the Companies for violation of Licence agreement

Sl. No.	Name of Service Provider	Service Area	Penalty Imposed in Rupees	Amount Recovered	Amount due	Remarks
1	Reliance Communications Limited	Kolkata	Rs 50 crores	Rs 50 crores	Nil	Wrong routing of International Long Distance (ILD) callse by-passing Access Deficit Charges (ADC)
2	Reliance Communications Limited	Mumbai	Rs. 50 crores	Rs 50 crores	Nil	do
3	Reliance Communications Limited	Chennai	Rs. 50 crores	Rs 50 crores	Nil	do
4	M/s Primus Telecommunications India Limited	ISP License	Rs. 8,78,036	Rs. 8,78,036	Nil	For violation of license agreement
5	M/s HFCL Infotel Ltd.	ISP Licence	Rs. 16,94,288	Rs 16,94,288	Nil	do
6	M/s Tata Teleservices (MH) Ltd.	ISP Licence	Rs. 50 crores	Nil	Rs. 50 crores	The case is subjudice
7	M/s HFCL Satellite Communications Ltd.	Commer-cial CUG VSAT Licence	Rs. 50 lakhs	Rs. 50 lakhs	Nil	The penalty was received by encashing PBG and licence was terminated

Total Amount imposed	Rs. 2007572324
Total Amount Recovered	Rs. 1507572324
Balance Amount	Rs. 500000000

ISP-Internet Service Provider

CUG - Closed User Group

PBG - Performance Bank Guarantee

Statement-IV

Names of the Companies whose Licences are terminated

Sl. No.	Name of Service provider	Penalty Imposed	Amount Recovered	Letter No.	Remarks
1	M/s International Telephone & Satellite Corp. India Private Limited			820-567/02-LR	The ISP licences had been terminated on account of non start of service on 18.02.2008.
2	M/s International Telephone & Satellite Corp. India Private Limited			820-568/02-LR	
3	M/s Base Telecom Pvt. Ltd.			820-760/03-LR	
4	M/s Radix Integrated Systems Private Ltd.			820-726/03-LR	
5	M/s United Internet Communications Pvt. Ltd.			820-8/98-LR	
6	M/s S.K. Digital Technology Pvt. Ltd.			820-35/98-LR	
7	M/s Baldev Ship Breakers Ltd.			820-125/98-LR	
8	M/s J&K State Industrial Dev. Corp. Ltd.			820-78/98-LR	
9	M/s N.S Net Source (I) Pvt. Ltd.			820-30/98-LR	
10	M/s Netconnect (India) Pvt Ltd.			820-249/99-LR	
11	M/s Yenkay Network Pvt. Ltd.			820-269/99-LR	
12	M/s Neptune Cyberworld Pvt. Ltd.			820-247/99-LR	
13	M/s Discovery Infoways Ltd.			820-316/00-LR	
14	M/s Infinity Com Financial Securities Ltd.			820-360/00-LR	
15	M/s C.N. Solutions Pvt. Ltd.			820-513/00-LR	
16	M/s Q-Net Infosystems Pvt. Ltd.			820-520/00-LR	
17	M/s Dombivli Internet Pvt. Ltd.			820-573/01-LR	
18	M/s Beacon Broadband Network Pvt. Ltd.			820-547/00-LR	
19	M/s Sikkanet Service Pvt. Ltd.			820-602/01-LR	
20	M/s Star Airnet Broadband Info Pvt. Ltd.			820-641/02-LR	
21	M/s Kashmir Infonet Technologies Pvt. Ltd.			820-655/02-LR	
22	M/s Ali Trading Exposition India Pvt. Ltd.			820-588/01-LR	
23	M/s Anjuman Computers Pvt. Ltd.			820-748/03-LR	
24	M/s Voyager Infocom (India) Pvt. Ltd.			820-690/03-LR	

Sl. No.	Name of Service provider	Penalty Imposed	Amount Recovered	Letter No.	Remarks
25	M/s Mysore Broadband Services Pvt. Ltd.			820-693/03-LR	
26	M/s Orange City Broadband Services Pvt. Ltd.			820-830/04-LR	
27	M/s Barak Infotech Pvt. Ltd.			820-781/04-LR	
28	M/s KTV Net Private Limited			820-787/04-LR	
29	M/s PAMS Information Services Pvt. Ltd.			820-821/04-LR	
30	M/s Telnet Telecom India Pvt. Ltd.			820-790/04-LR	
31	Shivam Datatech Pvt. Ltd.				ISP Licences has
32	Sigma Online Ltd.				been terminated
33	Magnacorp India Ltd.				for violation of
34	Capital Online Pvt. Ltd.				License conditions
35	Trident Netcom Solutions Pvt. Ltd.				

Coal production in the country

*370. SHRI VIJAYKUMAR RUPANI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Coal availability is less than that of production in our country;

(b) the total production of our country for the last five years from 2002-03 to 2006-07 and the share of Coal India Ltd. thereof and the demand met by CIL and private sector;

(c) the plans to explore underground coal gasification to be used as a fuel in view of the "Proved" and "Indicated" deposits having immense potential; and

(d) how much is the current level of energy consumption in India compared to developed and developing countries?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA): (a) and (b) The All India coal production, the share of Coal India Limited (CIL) thereof for the last five years *i.e.* 2002-03 to 2006-07 are given below:—

(Figs. in Million Tonnes)

		2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
Indigenous	All India	341-27	361.25	382.62	407.04	430.83
Production	Coal India Ltd.	290.69	306.36	323.57	343.39	360.91
	Percentage share of Coal India Ltd.	85.18	84.80	84.57	84.36	83.77
	Singareni Collieries Company Ltd.	33.23	33.85	35.30	36.13	37.70
	Others (public)	1.45	1.61	1.90	1.81	1.77
	Others (private)	15.83	19.41	21.83	25.70	30.45
Import		23.26	21.68	28.95	38.57	45.00
TOTAL:		364.53	382.93	411.57	445.61	475.83